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MEMORANDUM FOR: Office of Legislative Counsel

STATINTL FROM:

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National Intelligence Officer  
for China

SUBJECT:

Contacts with Ms. Joyce L. Shub  
Research Assistant of the Inter-  
national Relations Committee,  
House of Representatives

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On 19 February 1976, at the request of the Legislative Counsel of CIA, [redacted] and myself briefed Lester Wolff's subcommittee on Sino-Soviet matters. In attendance was one Joyce L. Shub who listened intently throughout and took notes. Several days later, on 1 March, I received a phone call from Ms. Shub informing me that Lester Wolff was going to China and she would like to have the names of competent academic people in the China field to accompany him. I obliged by providing several names and suggested that she consider taking a Department of State escort. On 8 March Ms. Shub phoned and asked if I could attend a House subcommittee meeting at 1400 hours on 10 March on Sino-Soviet affairs. I told her I was previously committed and could not come. She then asked me to recommend experts on the PRC military and I provided her several names, including [redacted]. On 15 March Ms. Shub phoned and asked me to have lunch with a correspondent from the French publication L'Express, Mr. Emil Guikovaty, and I had lunch with them on 16 March after [redacted] Ms. Shub

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phoned me on 17 March and thanked me for meeting with the French correspondent. She also expressed appreciation that I had informed her the House Foreign Affairs Committee was to have a briefing from CIA on 16 March. The HASC on its own invited Wolff to attend which he did. Ms. Shub appears to be seeking my help on Chinese matters on a continuing basis and I plan to be responsive to her requests. I will, of course, keep Legislative Counsel informed.

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